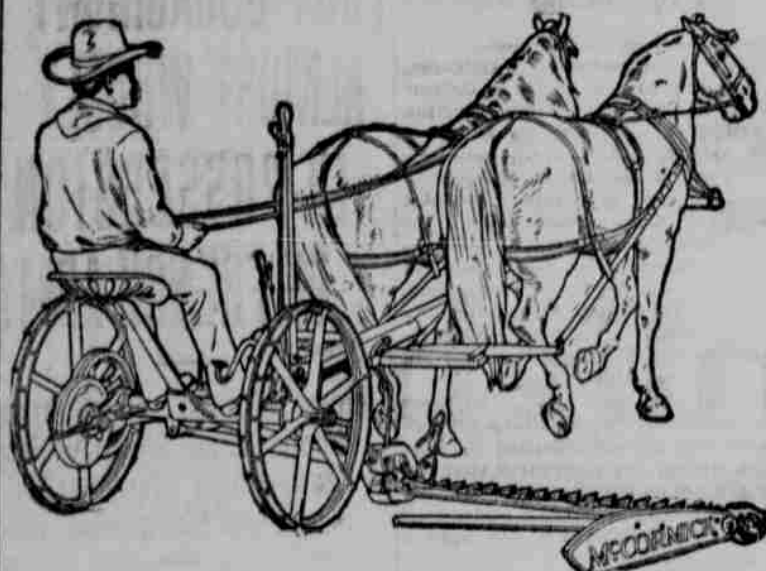


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The Austrian objective is said to be toward Vienna, with the purpose of separating the Italians operating against Trieste from those engaged in the campaign against Trent.

BAPTIST CONVENTION CONDEMNS DIVORCE

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Minneapolis, Minn., May 23.—The divorce question was the subject of sharp debate at today's session of the Northern Baptist convention, but finally was disposed of by the adoption of a resolution disapproving the action of ministers who officiate at the marriage of divorced persons.

The convention, which completed its business and adjourned tonight, also adopted resolutions favoring a permanent peace program, freedom of the press and recognizing the right of labor to organize and demand fair treatment both in wages and working conditions. Congress was petitioned, in another resolution, to pass a liquor prohibition amendment.

It was only after several proposed amendments had been voted down and one accepted that the divorce resolution was adopted. As offered, the resolution called for the remission of the divorce laws, condemnation of the divorce evil and denounced ministers who married persons whose divorces were not "on grounds recognized by churches."

The word "denounce" was stricken out and the word "disapproved" substituted.

"I don't believe this convention should dictate to the ministers," said Dr. John A. Earle, president of Den Moines college, of Des Moines, Ia. "There are many just causes for divorce. I will tell this convention that if my daughter should marry a drunkard I would help her to get a

divorce and drunkenness is not recognized by the scriptures as a just cause."

Congress was petitioned to pass an amendment prohibiting the appropriation of "public money by the federal, state or minor government units to any church, institution, school, society or undertaking wholly or in part in sectarian or ecclesiastical control."

METHODISTS DISCUSS MAGAZINE QUESTION

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Saratoga Springs, N. Y., May 23.—The future of three Methodist church magazines published at Kansas City, Chattanooga, Tenn., and Cincinnati, will be settled tomorrow by the general conference in session here, which after prolonged debate today, was unable to reach a decision. If a majority committee report prevails the publications will be consolidated with those at New York City, Chicago, Portland, Ore., and San Francisco.

One vote, which was taken today, favored continuance of the present publications, 453 to 299, but when it was discovered these figures totaled more than the entire membership of the conference another ballot was ordered. The mistake, it was said, was due to a clerical error.

Matters Defense Rests.

Chicago, May 23.—The defense in the case of Mrs. Dollie Ledgerwood Matters, on trial on a charge of imposing a spurious heir to her husband's estate on the probate court, unexpectedly rested its case this afternoon without Mrs. Matters having taken the witness stand. It had been supposed that Mrs. Matters would testify in an attempt to prove that she and not Jesse Ryan, the Canadian girl, was the mother of the "Matters" baby, which has been claimed by both.

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First wash the face with hot water and soap. Then sprinkle some powdered water upon a sponge made wet with hot water. Then rub well for a few minutes on the parts of the skin which are affected with blackheads. You should be able to secure the removal of any druggist.

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MRS. O. B. W.—In a half pint of cold water dissolve two ounces of castile and half a cup of sugar. All well mixed together, in this take two teaspoonfuls three or four times a day in a wine-glass of water, after each meal. The person can be secured at the drug store. If anything can do it, this should develop the best complexion, although no one can assure you that the best can be developed in all cases.

ANXIETY PILLS—My complexion formula will make your skin take on a purrifying all of the rose. Red spots, mottledness, sallowness, freckles, will surely leave, and your skin will be as white as snow. Rub your face, arms, hands, neck and chest. It is the beautifier without a peer, and is very economical. Mix two table-spoonsful of glycerine in a pint of hot water and add one ounce of salicylic acid, which can be secured at any drug store.



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VERY SHORT—Use my hair-growing formula faithfully for a time, then measure your hair, and you will find that it has grown wonderfully in a short time. It will be no longer thin and straggly, but radiant with the gleaming sheen and lustre that perfect, healthy hair possesses. Your hair will grow—well, there'll be no more use for it. Mix it yourself as follows: Add half a pint of alcohol to half a pint of water or use a full pint straightway. If you prefer, and to this add one ounce of betanquinol, which any drug store can supply you. This will never fail.

CARRANCISTAS' CO-OPERATION STILL EVIDENT

General Obregon Orders 30,000 Troops to Chase Bandits in Chihuahua and Along Big Bend Border.

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)
Washington, May 23.—Reports to both the state and war departments today further indicated plans of the Carranza government to vigorously pursue Chihuahua outlaws while the American forces remain comparatively quiescent.

Closely following news of withdrawal from Mexico of the second American punitive expedition sent from Boquillas, Tex., information reached the state department that General Obregon had ordered 30,000 troops to engage in the bandit hunt in Chihuahua and along the Big Bend border.

Carranza Note Delayed.
Delay in opening diplomatic discussions over the question of American troops remaining in Mexico also was indicated in official dispatches. State department officials said that receipt of the new note being prepared by General Carranza was not expected before next week. It was thought probable that retirement of the Big Bend expedition to American soil had presented a new situation in connection with representations contemplated in General Carranza's new note.

Secretary Baker said tonight that the Sibley-Langhorne expedition was not withdrawn upon orders from Washington. Officials here believe the American forces lost the "hot trail" of the bandits who raided Glenn Springs and Boquillas, and retired because their officers thought no good could be accomplished by remaining across the border.

May Punish Unwilling Ones.
Whether the 116 national guardsmen of Texas who refused to be mustered into the federal service, shall be court-martialed has not been determined. Judge Advocate General Crowder today withdrew an opinion submitted to General Scott, chief of staff, which outlined the war department's authority and rules of procedure. General Crowder desires to consider whether the new army reorganization bill, just passed by congress, will affect the situation.

The record of the Texas guardsmen in responding to President Wilson's call for duty was defended today by Representative Slayden of Texas. "Less than a per cent of the guard have failed to answer the summons," he said, "and in view of the fact that many of the men have families to support and other affairs which might prevent their immediate response, the proportion seems small to me."

Defends Texas Militia.
Mr. Slayden produced figures to show that the membership of the guard had increased in Texas within the last few months and quoted General Funston as saying he thought the Texas guardsmen had acquitted themselves creditably in the Mexican situation.

Settlement of the railroad strike in several Mexican districts was reported in state department advices. Trains at Monterrey were reported operating as usual, as well as some mines, smelters and other industrial plants. At Piedras Negras, official advices stated, railroad shop employees returned to work yesterday and traffic has been resumed, through trains from Mexico City arriving there daily.

Renewed activity of bandits near Acapulco, on the west Mexican coast, was reported.

BANDIT CHIEF KILLED BY TREVINO'S MEN

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Chihuahua, Mexico, May 23.—Tomás Rojas, leader of the outlaw band that raided the Colton ranches, has been killed in a running fight at Sacramento and the rest of the band is being closely pursued, according to an official report today from General Trevino.

Some trouble-makers in this city tried to start riots here this morning by circulating the canard that war had been declared with the United States. But they failed to create any excitement.

Gen. Ignacio Reyes has informed General Trevino from Jimenez that he captured the bandit, Abundio Hernandez, and a supply of rifles and ammunition while searching for his brother, Nicholas Hernandez, Villa's chief of staff, who is reported in that district. General Reyes has put strong detachments up the Rio Florido to guard the ranches there, which are the only places where the bandits can provision themselves. General Maldonado sends word from Concho of the execution of a Villa band, who had received amnesty. They were shot for the robbery of a carload of provisions destined for the Neco mining camp. The goods were recovered.

Gen. Luis Herrera at Parral has asked General Trevino that the balance of his brigade be sent him in order to strengthen the outside points of Culiacan and Rosario, Mazatlán, Cuernavaca, El Carmen and Guadalupe. A number of mines have resumed working there and General Herrera expects for their benefit to run trains daily from Rosario to Jimenez. With stronger garrisons, he believes that other mines will be induced to open.

Sues Santa Fe Road.
Santa Fe, May 23.—Suit has been brought for \$40,000 damages against the Santa Fe system by Fred M. Fletcher, administrator of the estate of the late Robert S. Harrington, who lost his life in a railroad accident at Santa Rita, Grant county, Harrington was run over while shifting cars. The suit is brought on behalf of the widow, three children and an unborn child.

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Rienzi C. Dickens Is Found Guilty

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Boulder, Colo., May 23.—Rienzi C. Dickens was found guilty of second degree murder by a jury in the district court this afternoon. The verdict carries a sentence of ten to twenty years imprisonment.

MAYOR MITCHELL AGAIN DEFENDS WIRE-TAPPING

Gotham Official Makes Sensational Charges Against "Co-religionists" in Attempting to Justify Practice

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

New York, May 23.—Sensational charges by Mayor John P. Mitchell against some of his "co-religionists" in attempted justification of telephone wire tapping during the investigation conducted by a committee appointed by Governor Whitman into the affairs of Roman Catholic charitable institutions in this city, were made late today before the legislative committee headed by State Senator George F. Thompson.

The mayor's allegations were prompted by the indictment in Kings county earlier in the day of John A. Kingsbury, city commissioner of charities, and William H. Hotchkiss, special counsel for the charities department, for their part in the "tapping" of telephone wires. The chief witnesses against them before the grand jury were Catholic clergymen.

Mayor Mitchell and Police Commissioner Woods were witnesses before the jury but were not indicted, although the presentation of the jury declared that the "tapping" was a "most severe condemnation" if they approved wire tapping "merely to furnish counsel with information in a law case or to gratify curiosity."

Mayor Mitchell became a witness with the avowed purpose of making public telephone conversations overheard by the police, which, he declared, justified the wire tapping.

Alfred J. Talley, counsel for some of the clergymen involved, offered strong objections to the reading of the conversations in the mayor's possession or any part of them. The attorney asserted the alleged conversations were taken down on a slate in Longland by four police officers and were presented to the charities investigation committee which refused to receive them, on the ground that it would be improper to have them so on the record.

EDUCATIONAL MERGER IS PRESBYTERIAN PLAN

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Atlantic City, N. J., May 23.—Adoption of the plan for the merger of the board of education and the board of the city and the announcement that the committee on bills and features had not yet reached an agreement regarding the charges of heterodoxy against the New York Presbyterian and union seminaries were the outstanding features of today's discussions of the Presbyterian general assembly.

The merger plan provides for the utilization of an entirely new and independent corporation to be created either under law or by a special statute in one of the states where such legislation is permissible. The new corporation is to be given power to acquire and administer the assets and property of each of the existing boards, subject to the jurisdiction of the general assembly and the provisions of any trusts relating to the property of either board.

The board will be composed of thirty-six members, eighteen ministers and eighteen elders, members of faculties of educational institutions being barred from membership.

Governor's Condition Unchanged.
Denver, May 23.—There was little change today in the condition of Governor George A. Carlson, who is confined to his home with an attack of tonsillitis.

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COMMENCEMENT AT ROSWELL THIS YEAR BRILLIANT

In Spite of Depleted Ranks Due to Call of National Guard, Soldiers Stage Pretty Display.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE TO MORNING JOURNAL)

Roswell, N. M., May 23.—In spite of the fact that the call of the New Mexico national guard to the Mexican border resulted in the serious depletion of the ranks of the corps of cadets, the 1916 commencement of the New Mexico Military Institute has not been lacking in the brilliancy which always attends the closing exercises of that institution, and the campus and assembly hall have been the scenes of as interesting and spectacular a series of entertainments as could be witnessed anywhere in the United States. It is the sort of thing that can only be seen at a military college and an uncommonly good military college at that.

The commencement festivities began Friday night with the annual hop, which brought out not only a brilliant assemblage from the town of Roswell but a large number of out-of-town visitors as well. Nobody who has ever attended a military hop needs to be told that they are always brilliant social events, and the one held Friday night was in every respect up to the standard that has been maintained by the institution in former years.

Baccalaureate Services.

With the holding of baccalaureate services in the auditorium at Lea hall Sunday afternoon the commencement season was formally opened. A large audience was present, and as the battalion, headed by the cadet band, marched from the barracks across the campus and filed into the auditorium the scene was a most inspiring one.

The Rev. Austin D. Crile, chaplain of the institute, was in charge of the services and offered the invocation. The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. A. O. Kuhn, pastor of the First Baptist church of Roswell, and was on the subject of "The Center of Life." It was an exceptionally able and thoughtful address and was listened to with the closest attention by the large congregation of cadets and visitors.

Company B Wins Prize.

After the baccalaureate services, inspection was held on the campus and the company competition was decided. Company B was the winner of this contest with a percentage of 94 out of a possible 100 points. As the decision of the judges was announced the battalion broke ranks and Capt. Sam Lusk, the commander of the victorious company, was carried across the campus to the barracks on the shoulders of the enthusiastic members of his company.

The holding of the annual field sports, together with a quite lively game of baseball between the institute team and a picked nine of Roswell athletes, made up the program of Monday afternoon, while the dual oratorical contest for the Murray and Morton medals was held in Lea hall Monday evening.

Prize Winning Orators.

The oratorical contests were of an exceptionally high order and held the closest attention of the large audience gathered in Lea hall for the occasion. Music by the institute orchestra was a feature of the evening's entertainment.

So close was the score between the various contestants that quite an extended deliberation by the judges was necessary before the winners were announced. Cadet W. H. B. Rhoads was declared the winner of the Murray medal, the subject of his oration being "The Quest of the Unknown," while Cadet G. W. Reed, in an excellent oration on "Watchful Waiting," was declared the winner of the Morton medal. The announcement of the decision was greeted with enthusiastic applause by the cadets and visitors.

Commencement Ball.

The commencement ball, held in the institute gymnasium this evening, was the culmination of the social features of the commencement season. The gymnasium was in the national colors, crossed bayonets, sabers and rifles draped with the colors and

arranged artistically about the hall, lending a pleasing military effect. Refreshments were served on the lawn outside the gymnasium, where tables and benches had been placed and where soft lights from Japanese lanterns shed a soft light over a most charming scene.

The final exercises of the commencement week will be held today when Rev. Austin D. Crile will deliver the commencement address and when fourteen members of the senior class will be awarded diplomas.

COLONEL SIBLEY REACHES MARATHON

(BY MORNING JOURNAL SPECIAL LEASED WIRE)

Marathon, Tex., May 23.—Col. Frederick W. Sibley, commander of the bandit-chasing expedition into the state of Coahuila, accompanied by several staff officers, reached here late today from Deemer's ford in an automobile. Maj. George T. Langhorne remained behind with the Eighth cavalry troops preparatory to coming north.

The purpose of Colonel Sibley's visit to Marathon was to arrange for the transfer of his command at several points, principally Del Rio and Eagle Pass. Colonel Sibley intends to establish his headquarters at Eagle Pass instead of Fort Clark, as was reported previously.

The two Sixth cavalry troops which

left here today for the border, had gone twenty-one miles of their journey this evening.

WANT CHINESE LAWS OF MARRIAGE REVISED

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Peking, April 30.—Newspapers printed in foreign languages in China are conducting a vigorous campaign for the revision of Chinese marriage laws. The Peking Daily Times, commenting on this, says: "The existing uncertainty—which causes hardship to individuals, eternal litigation and the frittering away of estates—should certainly be removed as speedily as possible."

"Generally speaking, the inferior class Chinese seem rather to favor monogamy, but this is a delicate question and one which would have to be very carefully examined before any decision affecting the legality of secondary wives could be officially promulgated. But we are glad to see that whole question arises even in the minds of the Chinese themselves."

Magdalena Chamber Incorporates.

Santa Fe, May 24.—Incorporation papers were filed today by the Magdalena Chamber of Commerce, of Magdalena, Socorro county. The incorporators and directors are: Milla Huntington, J. S. MacFarland, Allen Falconer, W. M. Borrowsdale and A. H. Carter.



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